

THIRTY-THIRD DAY.

WEDNESDAY, January 14th, 1874.

The House was called to order by the Speaker at half-past 10 o'clock.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

It was announced that Mr. Perry of Wake was absent yesterday on account of sickness.

Leave of absence for to-morrow was granted to Mr. Lindsay on account of important business.

Indefinite leave was granted to Mr. Darden on account of sickness; to Mr. Mizell on account of sickness in his family.

Leave of absence till Saturday next was granted to Mr. Jones of Camden.

The following petitions were introduced, read and referred, or otherwise disposed of, as follows:

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PROPOSITIONS AND GRIEVANCES.

By Mr. Norment: From citizens of Robeson county asking for a prohibitory liquor law within two miles of Cliburn Baptist church.

By Mr. McNeill: From citizens of Robeson and Richmond counties asking for the establishment of a new county.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS.

By Mr. Gidney: From citizens of King's Mountain asking for an act of incorporation.

Reports from standing committees were submitted with recommendations, as follows:

From the Committee on Corporations:

By Mr. Jones of Caldwell, S. B. No. 132, H. B. No. 341: A bill to be entitled an act to amend the charter of the town of Concord, in the county of Cabarrus; that it do pass.

S. B. No. 218, H. B. No. 327: A bill to be entitled an act